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### Editor's Message . . .

This is the first year of Branton Junior High School and of our School's year-book. It is good that we have been able to get a yearbook under way this year, for now it is possible to have a pictorial history of our School from the day it originally opened.

There are many ways in which the yearbook may be improved, and next year's yearbook staff should start thinking about them early in the term. The two things which should be considered first are, we believe, a good name for the book and better pictures of the students and teachers. However, next year's staff is bound to have some good ideas on this subject.

It goes without saying that much of our inspiration came from our teachers — especially our principal, Mr. Borgal. We hope that future editors and yearbook staffs will be as fortunate as we are, in the teachers who will come to Branton Junior High School.

GEORGE FOSTER



E. M. BORGAL.

## Principal's Message . . .

The first year of operation of Branton Junior High School is drawing to a close. I trust that it has left you with a sense of tremendous satisfaction and a thrill of accomplishment.

We have had a full year. Your program has been geared to the top in every line of endeavour. In both regular studies, and extra curricular activities you have set up standards that will establish precedents for future years. I wish to congratulate you upon your private effort toward the progress of the school as a whole.

Individually, your success in school can be measured to a large degree by the attitudes and habits you have established. I hope you have learned to be industrious, co-operative self reliant, and dependable. Pay attention to the bothersome and humdrum necessities of life. Be regular and enthusiastic in all your work and play. These character traits and habits will stay with you and will be assets to you in any walk of life.

I trust that everyone of you will have the best of health and happiness in future years.

E. M. BORGAL

## Message From The School Board . . .

I am proud to bring greetings and best wishes through your first year book, from the Calgary School Board to the students and staff of Branton Junior High School. This book marks a successful effort on the part of numerous students and teachers. It will remind you of many outstanding events and personalities, of great worthwhile victories and a few insignificant setbacks, of your athletic teams, your wonderful operetta, school parties, friends, and naturally of your scholastic efforts.

I believe that those of you who have worked hard will have a worthwhile inner satisfaction and feeling that you have done your best. I trust that this will apply to most of you the extra-curricular activities which you chose and especially in your studies. On the road of Life true success and happiness comes only to those who establish a worth while goal and then work faithfully and diligently toward it. Your school was named for a good, sincere, and industrious man with laudable ambitions. You could do no better than to emulate these virtues.

In addition to congratulating all of the students and staff on this fine book and all that it signifies, I would offer my best wishes for your future endeavors.

GOOD LUCK,

LOU GOODWIN, Chairman

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## Message From The Superintendent . . .

Please convey to the students of Branton Junior High School and to the Yearbook Staff my congratulations for their decision to publish a yearbook in this, the first year of operation of this school. I am sure that all students will obtain lasting benefit and pleasure from this venture. To all students, and indeed to teachers, the yearbook becomes a treasure house of memories, but to those who participate in its production it brings a very special and valuable educational experience.

Your school bears a good name and I trust that it will establish a fine reputation for initiative and creativeness through the implementation of projects such as the publication of a yearbook.

Yours very truly,

ROBT. WARREN,

Superintendent of Schools.

## Message from Mr. Branton . . .

after whom our school is named!

It is with pleasure that I write a message to the students of the Branton Junior High School for their first Year Book.

The students of Branton Junior High School are in an unique position in that they are the first student body to be enrolled in this new school. This may be considered an honor, but with it comes a challenge and a responsibility. The future success of this school depends much on how well the foundations are laid upon which a tradition for academic attainment, a high standard of fair play and sportsmanship and a worthy school spirit are engendered into the minds and hearts of the student body. The accomplishment of this is your challenge and we sincerely hope that you, as a student body, will successfully meet it so that you may, in the years to come, be proud that you had a part in the founding of Branton Junior High School.

I make a second challenge to you individually, as young students entering upon a high school career. You should be aware from the start that the way is long, the grade is steep, and you must be prepared to give of your best. There is no substitute for hard work; there are no short cuts — no primrose path leading to the acquiring of a sound education. This comes only by your will to achieve. I commend to you that you set your sights high. Apply self-discipline to the end that first things come first — that is, that those things which endure and give quality to life and character have first place in your thoughts and efforts.

You are passing through the most important years of your life. Your future success and happiness largely depend upon how well you use these years. Some day when your high school years are over you will step out into a very competitive world, demanding a high standard of ability and efficiency. Be ready and equipped to meet this challenge.

Mrs. Branton and I have noted with interest and pleasure the success that your school has already attained in the realm of sports and congratulate you. We wish you further success in the days to come.

Sincerely,

W. A. BRANTON



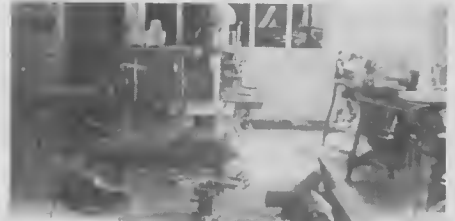
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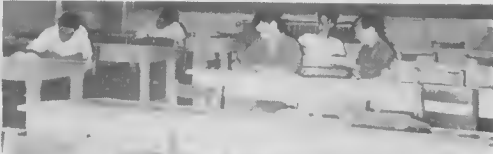
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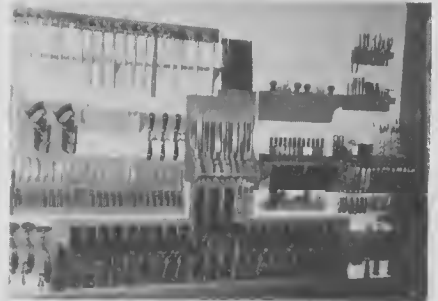
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Shop Room



Artists of Branton



Shop Teacher's Pride



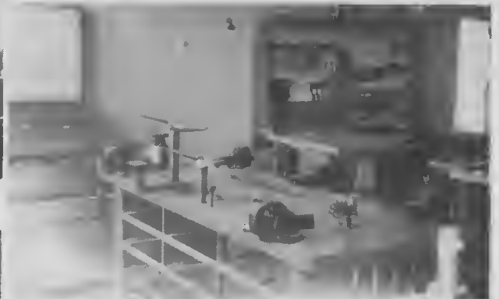
Reading in the Library



Home Economics Room



8A in the Library



Shop Corner



Five

A sample of Branton's boys

TEACHERS  
AND  
STAFF

1956      1957



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F. CARLSON



## The President of the Students' Union reports . . .

The Students' Union had a successful year under the capable supervision of Mr. Borgal and Mr. Darrah, our teacher sponsors. The executive chosen in the September election consisted of:

*President* — Valerie Brock  
*1st Vice-President* — Roland Laing  
*2nd Vice-President* — Carole Casey  
*Secretary-Treasurer* — Jackie Homeniuk  
*Grade 9 Social Convener* — Delano Lee  
*Grade 8 Social Convener* — Bryanne Davidson  
*Grade 7 Social Convener* — Ronnie Aiello

The room representatives were chosen from each room. They were:

9A Linda Drew, Russ Turner	8A Florin Korman, Sharon Irving
9B Nola Verigin, Gordon Fairhead	8B Sandra McWhinney, Chris Clarke
9C Dón Blair, Shonnie Guy	8C Walter Spanier, Vanna Mickle
9D Carolyn Baldwin, Bob Pike	8D Bob McBean, Karen Kunelius
7A Gordon Sheppard, Diane Parkyn	7B Jack Templeton, Sandra Wusyk

The meetings were held about twice a month in the Council Room. The meetings followed regular and quite business-like procedure.

One highlight of our activities was the donating of money for the Hungarian Relief Fund. The sum of \$103 was contributed by the teachers and students for this worthwhile cause.

Our special activities included mainly a few parties and shags (after school), Easter and Christmas. These were capably handled by our social conveners. The Students' Union also lent a hand for the selecting and buying of the school rings, pins and crests.

As this is the first year of Branton's Students' Union we hope we have set a good example for those who shall follow. The success of the Students' Union was mainly due to the co-operation and support of students and teachers.

Keep up the good work, Branton, and Good Luck next year!

Valerie Brock.

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## STUDENT UNION OFFICERS



**President**  
VALERIE  
BROCK



**1st Vice President**  
ROLAND  
LAING

Seven



**2nd Vice President**  
CAROLE  
CASEY



**Secretary-Treasurer**  
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FAULKNER



STAN  
FOCKNER



KAREN  
GIENOW



ROBERT  
HALEY



JACQUELIN  
HAMILTON



JACKOLEEN  
HOMENIUK



MARK  
HORNBY



BRYAN  
HUGGARD



MURRAY  
HUGGARD



DAVID  
HUTCHINSON



SHIRLEY  
ILOTT



BOB  
INVERARITY



MARJORIE  
LAING



KEN  
LAMB



LORNE  
LAMOND



LEONARD  
MAH



MICKEY  
McDONALD



MARIANA  
MILLER



DENISE  
MONTGOMERY



RON  
MOORE



KAAREN  
MORTIMER



HOWARD  
NODWELL



MR. DARRAH



JACK  
NODWELL



JOYCE  
REID



JAMES  
TURNER



PEGGY  
VANNEBO

9A



FRAN  
VAN SANT



VICKEY  
WADE

# BIOGRAPHIES 9A

Name	Ambition	Like	Dislike
Mr Darrah	Travel around the world	His wife, Janet Anne and Donnie	Garlic
Larry Arbour	To pass Grade 9	Girls	Cute girls with boy friends
Sylvia Constable	Lab technician	Exchanging records	Writing paragraphs
Linda Drew	Dancer	Handsome guys	Cute boys, going steady
Carole Enevoldsen	Own a 1957 Chrysler	Howard Nodwell	People who can't take hints
Tom Faulkner	Pro hockey player	hockey, girls	Flirts (girls in general)
Stan Fockner	Confirmed bachelor	Girl in 9C	Competition
Karen Glenow	Stenographer	The boy next door	School
Bob Haley	Einstein II	Girls	Squares
Jackie Hamilton	Secretary	Boys, dancing, pink	(No names allowed)
Jackie Homeniuk	Stenographer	Boys	Language
Mark Hornby	Rock and Roll singer	Motors	Girls who won't dance
Bryan Huggard	To do a forward roll	Himself	People who don't like him
Delbert Huggard	Mechanic	Girls and Sports	Snobs
David Hutchinson	To get rich quick	Working on sports	Girls who flirt
Shirley Ilott	Marry Stan	Stán Fockner	Stan's ex-girl friends
Allan McDonald	P.E. instructor at Y.M.C.A.	Swimming, dancing, tumbling	Pick up
Leonard Mah	Educated person	Pretty girls	Loss of privileges
Marianna Miller	To travel	Boys (G.B.)	None
Denise Montgomery	Marry Vic	Vic S. 9C	Snobs
Bob Inverarty	President of U.S.	Hockey	Nothing
Marjorie Laing	Nurse	Baby sitting	Exams
Ken Lamb	Quit school	Girls	Girls who don't like him
Lorne Lamond	Pass a Social test	Making aeroplanes (paper)	Girls who don't like him
Ron Moore	Own a Ford	Girls	School Teachers
Karen Mortimer	To Travel	Boys	Show offs
Howard Nodwell	To be a millionaire	Anything in skirts (G.E.)	Cold shoulders
Jack Nodwell	Follow in his father's foot steps	Caramels	Girls who don't dance
Joyce Reid	Entertainer	Parties, baby sitting	Anyone who dislikes her
Russel Turner	Hot Rod driver	Elaborate hairdos	People who don't like elaborate hairdos
Peggy Vannebo	To be chief executive of L.N.'s heart	Watching ??? Bob Cummings	Fords and Monarchs
Fran Van Sant	Singer	Tom Cormack, Bryan Huggard	Punchy boys
Vicky Wade	Singer	Mervin	Snobs, hunks



ROBERTA  
ALLAN



DOUG  
BLAIR



SHIRLEY  
BENTLEY



VALERIE  
BROCK



CAROLYN  
DUNFORD



GORDON  
FAIRHEAD



CURTIS  
GULLACHER



CLAUDE  
HACKNEY



HERB  
HALL



BILL  
HEARN



FRED  
HILLING



ROY  
HORIO



MAVIS  
JENSEN



MAVOR  
KENNEDY



RICHARD  
LEBSACK



NORMAN  
LIPPITT



BRIAN  
LISSON



JOAN  
MacLEAN



KEN  
MacRAE



DOREEN  
MANDERS



BILL  
MORIGEAU



GLORIA  
MYHRE



GERALD  
NEILSON



DAVID  
PEERS



JOHN  
PROELS



JOLAINE  
ROSE



MR. STEELE

BARBARA  
SEXTON



RAE  
SHEPHERD



JUNE  
VALLI



NOLA  
VERIGIN



THOMAS  
VOYKIN



SHIRLEY  
WALKER

## BIOGRAPHY OF 9B ROOM 3

- ROBERTA ALLAN - Roberta's ambition is to be a secretary. She likes social events such as parties and dances. Her hobbies are baseball and swimming.
- DOUG BLAIR - Doug's ambition is to be a mechanic. He enjoys jiving, girls, and hot rodding.
- SHIRLEY BENTLEY - Shirley was born in Stettler, Alberta. Her main hobbies are parties and dances. Shirley is a very good cook.
- VALERIE BROCK - Val's ambition is to have fun through life, be rich and travel. Val was on the Senior Volleyball and Basketball teams. She enjoys all sports and is very good in them.
- CAROLYN DUNFORD - Carolyn's ambitions are to get rich and travel. Her main interests are movies, dancing and boys.
- GORDON FAIRHEAD - Gordon's main ambition is to be an oil man and get rich fast. His hobbies include cars, particularly the Mercury.
- CURTIS GULLACHER - Curtis' greatest ambition is to be a scientist and a millionaire. He is interested in swimming, horseback riding, ping-pong and badminton.
- CLAUDE HACKNEY - Claude's ambition is to be a mechanic. Claude likes hockey, swimming and football.
- HERB HALL - Herb's ambition is to be a chemist. His hobbies include chemistry.
- BILL HEARN - Bill's ambition is to get through school. He likes sports of all kinds.
- FRED HILLING - Fred's ambition is to do better than his brother in school. His interests are basketball and baseball.
- ROY HORIO - Roy wants to be rich and stay single. His interests include: football, baseball, leathercraft and stamp collecting.
- MAVIS JENSEN - Mavis' ambition is to have lots of nice clothes. Her favorite past times are collecting salt and pepper shakers and also pictures of the Royal family.
- MAVOR KENNEDY - Mavor's ambition is to be a nurse. Her favorite sports are horseback riding, golfing and swimming.
- RICHARD LEBSACK - Richard's ambition is to be a truck driver or a farmer. He is interested in hockey, baseball, badminton and motor mechanics.
- NORMAN LIPPITT - Norman came to us from Cranbrook, B.C. His ambition is to join the airforce, get rich, get married. His favorite sports are baseball, swimming and track.
- BRIAN LISSON - His ambition is to be an engineer. His main interests are boats.
- JOAN MacLEAN - Joan's main ambition is to be a secretary. She enjoys sports, dancing. Joan's noted for her long hair and her charming personality.
- DOREEN MANDERS - Doreen enters into many school activities and was on the Junior Girls' Basketball team. Her main ambition is to be a nurse. Doreen has a cute figure and those green eyes.
- KEN MacRAE - Ken's main ambition is to get married. His sports include swimming and horseback riding.
- BILL MOREAGEU - Bill's ambition is to join the R.C.M.P. He was on the boys' junior basketball team and in the operetta chorus. He loves hunting and fishing, but hates girls.
- GLORIA MYHRE - Gloria wants to be an airlines' stewardess. She was on the costume committee for the operetta. Swimming and skating also interest her.
- GERALD NEILSON - Gerald's ambition is to be an office man in an oil company. Gerald, known as Jerry, is interested in hockey, football and woodwork.
- DAVE PEERS - Dave's greatest ambition is to be rich. He is interested in sports, girls and his hobby is horses. Dave is one of the winners in badminton.
- JOHN PROELS - John's ambition is to be a farmer. He is interested in mechanics and his hobby is repairing old antique model cars. He likes volleyball, soccer, rugby and pool.
- BARBARA SEXTON - Her main ambition is to be known on radio and T.V. and to travel. She likes volleyball and horseback riding, swimming and stock car riding.
- RAE SHEPHERD - Rae's ambition is to speak French fluently. Her favorite sports are swimming, skating and she collects coins for a hobby.
- JOLAINE ROSE - Jolaine's an honor student in 9B. Greatest ambition is to be a dress designer. For her past time she likes drawing.
- JUNE VALLI - June's ambition is to be a telephone operator. She enjoys baseball, volleyball and likes to sew.
- NOLA VERIGIN - Nola's ambition is to get married, be rich and travel. She is an honor student and takes part in most sports.
- THOMAS VOYKIN - Tom's greatest ambition is to get rich and marry. He takes part in most sports and won the boys' singles in badminton.
- SHIRLEY WALKER - Shirley's main ambition is to be an army doctor. She has been on both basketball and volleyball senior teams and her hobbies include sports and music.



EWALD  
ABEL



LORNE  
BARRACLOUGH



CAROL  
BAKER



CAROLE  
BERGH



DONALD  
BLAIR



JOY  
BROWN



RON  
CLOWES



PAT  
COLVIN



MARIAN  
COOK



BARBARA  
FRANKS



BOB  
GILBERTSON



SHONNIE  
GUY



CAROL  
HARRIS



DON  
HENDRICKSON



TED  
HODGES



DELANO  
LEE



ROBERT  
LORD



SANDRA  
MacKAY



DOROTHY  
MARTIN



DIANNE  
MacKENZIE



ROBERT  
MAXWELL



ELEANOR  
McGREGOR



BOB  
MOODY



DONNA  
PATERSON



BONNIE  
PERELL



SHIRLEY  
REID



VIC  
SHAVER



MEREDITH  
SMITH



CAROL  
SUTHERLAND



MRS. GAVINCHUCK



TOM  
TAIT



GARY  
WILLIS



GAYLE  
WILLIS



DARRELL  
WILLIAMSON



TOM  
CORMACK



TOMMY  
FEDDERSEN

## BIOGRAPHIES 9C

- EWALD ABEL - In our room there is a boy, and Ewald is his label. He fills each moment with some joy, whenever he is Abel.
- LORNE BARRACLOUGH - Lorne Barraclough is a mighty fine lad, he's always smiling and never sad. Drawing pictures on world affairs, in doing school work he has no cares.
- CAROL BAKER - There was a young girl named Carol; she sat in front of Darrell. She's pretty smart as you can see, the editor of the paper is she.
- CAROLE BERGH - Carole Bergh is real swell, everyone likes her real well. Here's someone you'd like to meet, for she is really sweet.
- JOY BROWN - This little lass is pert and sweet. She seldom wears a frown, with her friendly smile and style so neat, we know her as Joy Brown.
- RON CLOWES - There's a lad named Ron Clowes from 9C, who never comes up with a D. Although he is short, he excels in sports. We're glad he's as happy as he can be.
- PAT COLVIN - Pat Colvin, our musical gal, is Delores Shackleton's favorite pal. As far as playing the piano goes, Pat, all about everything knows.
- MARIAN COOK - Marian Cook is small and sweet, she's often called a "doll". Her friendly smile and style so neat, make her a friend to all.
- BARBARA FRANKS - Barbara Franks is a pert young lass, she's always neat and kind. She never pouts and seldom shouts, in her a friend you'll find.
- BOB GILBERTSON - There is a boy known as Robert G., in science he sits next to Delano Lee. He can hardly wait for the 3:30 chime, to him it never seems on time.
- SHONNIE GUY - Shonnie Guy is a girl in 9C, an elocutionist is she. She's very cute and liked real well, and on the whole she's really swell.
- CAROL HARRIS - Carol Harris sure has style, for the boys would run a mile. She's very sweet and Oh! so neat, from the top of her head to the soles of her feet.
- DON HENDRICKSON - Don Hendrickson is quite a guy, around the basketball court he flies. Although Bonnie is his flame, we all like him just the same.
- TED HODGES - Ted Hodges is a bright young boy, his report card is a thing of joy. Even though he's not very tall, he plays a good game of basketball.
- DELANO LEE - Delano Lee is our class clown, he's always happy and gay. As social convener he lifts your frown, and a good game of basketball he does play.
- ROBERT LORD - In the play put on by 9C, the part of Uncle Fud played he. He's bright in school and does excel, we from 9C think he's just swell.
- SANDRA MCKAY - A gal who's liked by one and all, and as constant as the day. You've guessed the name by now, no doubt, you're right, it's Sandy McKay.
- DOROTHY MARTIN - Seldom heard, often seen, always happy, never mean. A helping hand she'll always lend, to anyone who needs a friend.
- DIANE MACKENZIE - Diane MacKenzie, I'm sure you'll agree, is as loving and sweet as can be. She's never glum, she's full of fun, she keeps everyone on the run.
- ROBERT MAXWELL - Behind this boy there's quite a story, for he's always in the sin bin's glory. He cleans our dirty blackboards galore, because his books always rest on the floor.
- ELEANOR MCGREGOR - There is a girl named Eleanor, who everyone seems to adore. She's cute, she's pert, she's full of pep, she's sure to hook a boyfriend yet.
- BOB MOODY - Bob Moody is his name, cleaning blackboards won him fame. When at sports he does appear, he always receives a hearty cheer.
- DONNA PATERSON - This smart girl is on the beam, and also on our basketball team. She has a smile that's real sweet, here's a girl you'd love to meet.
- BONNIE PERELL - Bonnie Perell is very sweet, she's someone you'd like to meet. Being smart at school and popular too, are but a few of her good views.
- SHIRLEY REID - Shirley R. whose smile is bright, and eyes are sparkling blue, has an everlasting friendship that is always true.
- VIC SHAVER - Vic Shaver was a boy in 9C, a right upstanding lad was he. With a twinkle in his eye, to the girls he does fly, his life dreams reach up to the sky.
- MEREDITH SMITH - Meredith Smith, a friend to all, really shines at basketball. As captain of this famous five, she makes the whole team seem alive.
- CAROL SUTHERLAND - Carol Sutherland is her name, she's always cheery and bright. For these small things she won her fame, I'm sure you'll agree I'm right.
- TOM TAIT - Tom Tait's on athlete — he'll surely get a crest. He's good in school, but in sports he's best. He's often thought a little shy, everyone is fond of this swell guy.
- GARY WILLIS - In 9C there's a boy named G. Willis, the drawings he makes, they just kill us. But don't be a smee, just believe me, There's nobody better than Willis.
- GAYLE WILLIS - Gayle Willis is a twin, and is as neat as a pin. This girl is a lot of fun, and is a friend to everyone.
- DARRELL WILLIAMSON - For his loud remarks and that impish grin, the teacher has often times kept Darrell in. By now his best pal (not including Don Blair) is doubtless "The Ancient Mariner".
- DON BLAIR - There was a boy named Don Blair. For a study has a flair, We all know he is rather shy. Nevertheless he's quite a guy.



CAROLYN  
BALDWIN



RUTH  
BENNETT



MARILYN  
BLOW



JANICE  
BROWN



JACK  
CONNORS



GERALDINE  
EDGAR



SID  
FLANDERS



SHEILA  
FRASER



JUDITH  
HIETT



MARJORIE  
HOHENACKER



MERVIN  
HOHENACKER



KAREN  
JACKSON



SHIRLEY  
KLEIN



BOB  
McCALLUM



BARBARA  
McDOUGALL



RODDY  
McLENNAN



MADELAINE  
McMECHAN



JIM  
NEALE



JANET  
NEWBERRY



ROBERT  
PIKE



RICHARD  
RANKIN



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SATEROUIST



LOUIE  
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TOMLINSON



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VAN CAMP



RON  
WALLER

9D



LORNE  
WATSON



ROBERT  
WILSON



# BIOGRAPHIES 9D

Name:	Ambition:	Likes:	Most characteristic:
Carolyn Baldwin	Nursing	Boys, skating, sports	Laughter
Ruth Bennett	Be a track winner	Boys, track, dancing	Freckles
Marilyn Blow	Commercial artist	Boys, sports	Her walk
Janice Brown	Farmer's wife	Poetry, art	Wise cracks
Jack Connors	Be a millionaire	Matching pennies	His walk
Jerry Edgar	Get married	Boys with money, cars	Figure
Sid Flanders	Apprenticed	Girls, cars, cigs.	Walk
Sheila Fraser	Stewardess	Jim N.	Chatterbox
Judy Hiett	Stenographer	Animals, boys	Her little nose
Marjorie Hohenacker	Join the Navy	My big brother	Big grin
Mervin Hohenacker	Mountie	Girls, sports	Complexion, blushes nicely
Karen Jackson	Stewardess	Bob P., sports	Blondie
Shirley Klein	See Elvis P.	Boys, movies, Big Six	Her walk
Sylvia Leighton	Go steady with Eddie	Eddie?	Her walk
Bob McCallum	Reach 6'4"	Dixie cups, sports	Height
Roddy McLennan	Be a Hungarian	Knives, bombs, blow guns	Facial expression
Jim Neale	Move to a back seat	Dislike—French	When do I move?
Micky McMechan	To get her	Boys, Jack M., fashions	Giggles
Janette Newberry	Wanno go home	Animals	Silence
Bob Pike	Commercial artist	Karen J.	Rubber nose
Dick Rankin	Own a car	Fast cars, women	Moustache
Shirley Rickard	Grade IX scholarship	Animals, boy (R.W.)	Smiles
Dick Saterquist	Welder	Tattoos	Laugh, high pockets
Louie Schuurmans	Make peace with Miss E.	Talking to anyone	Brushcut
Dolores Shackleton	Be a teacher	Dislikes—All tests	Eyes
Ron Skene	Poke Tiny back	Models, sleeping in Lit.	Smile
Betty Taylor	Stewardess	Boys (at C.H.)	Hair (colour?)
Lorne Tomlinson	Own a harem	Sports, girls, cars	Hands
Frank von Camp	Moonlight gambler	Sports, parties	Walk
Ron Waller	Matching Shirley R's height	Sports, money	Bright, rosy blushes
Lorne Watson	Knock off a Hungarian	Old cars and big cliffs	Nose
Bob Wilson	Be a debater	Dislikes—Miss Seymour	Tumbling
Barbara McDougall	Go steady with Sid.	Sid, black hair	Horsey laugh



RON  
BODO



JACK  
BOURASSA



LINDA  
BROWN



DAVID  
COOL



SUSAN  
CRAIG



MARILYN  
DAW



DOROTHY  
DRUMMOND



DONNA  
DUCHAK



GEORGE  
FORSTER



ALAN  
FREEMAN



BRENT  
FRIEDENBERG



MARLENE  
HEDSTROM



SANDRA  
HOWARD



LINDA  
HUTTON



CAMERON  
INGLIS



SHARON  
IRVING



LARRY  
KADEY



CHERI ANN  
KARN



FLORIN  
KORMAN



JAMES  
MAURO



JOHN  
MEYER



GERRY  
MITCHELL



MARILYN  
MOIR



ZENA  
MOZESON



CAROL  
ROBERTS



MR. WYNNE



DENNIS  
ROBERTSON



CALVIN  
SHAVER



GERALDINE  
SHEPPARD



JAY  
TIERNEY

8A



BRIAN  
TROTMAN



GARRY  
WALKER

Name:	Ambition:	Pet Peeve:
Ron Bodo	Chief Cook	Work
Jack Bourassa	Bachelor	Sister
Linda Brown	P. E. Teacher	Eb and Zeb (radio)
David Cool	Farmer	Skunks
Susan Craig	Air Hostess	Baker (language book)
Marilyn Daw	To pass one of Mr. Scheer's tests	Homework
George Forster	Aeronautical engineer	Work-outs in P.E.
Donna Duchak	Earning enough to spend	Getting up in the morning
Alan Freeman	Druggist	School
Brent Friedenber	Rodeo rider	Not to die young
Marlene Hedstrom	Chief food taster	Work
Sandra Howard	Nurse	Track
Linda Hutton	Stenographer	The girl behind
Cam Inglis	Mountie	Mr. Scheer's detentions
Sharon Irving	Vet	The girl in front
Larry Kadey	Be a millionaire	Sister
Cheri-Ann Karn	Air Hostess	Marlene's comments
Florin Korman	To understand 'Baker'	Practising
Jim Mauro	To get a car	Peppermint Prince
John Meyer	Stock car racer	Teachers in general
Gerry Mitchell	Test pilot	Literature
Marilyn Moir	Teacher	Freckles
Zena Mozeson	Journalist	Washing inked sweaters
Carol Roberts	Money enough to travel around the world	Onions
Dennis Robertson	Own a car	Howdy Doody
Arlene Scott	Air hostess	Sisters
Cal Shaver	Garbage collector	Stale hamburgers
Geraldine Sheppard	Nurse	Housework
Jay Tierney	Lawyer	Work
Brian Trotman	None as yet	Math
Gary Walker	Be a bachelor	Magee Muggins
Mr. Wynne	Have a quiet class	Short, fat women in jeans



GARY  
BAKER



GLENDA  
BERGOT



BEVERLEY  
BROWN



GARY  
BURTIS



CHRIS.  
CLARKE



SHAUN  
COLLINS



DONNA  
CALLBECK



BONNIE  
COUSER



JERRY  
DEAN



FRANK  
DEVITTE



LARRY  
DRABBLE



FAYE  
ESLER



EDWARD  
GREEN



MYRLE  
HAMMILL



ANNE  
HOWARTH



HORST  
KITTLER



BETSY  
KRAB



EDWARD  
LAWSON



JANETTE  
LONGSTER



GLORIA  
LOWTHER



DARLENE  
MASTERSON



DIANE  
MAXWELL



SANDRA  
McWHINNEY



NEIL  
MITCHELL



MARGARET  
NEISH



GORDON  
NEWTON



MR. SCHEER



HERBERT  
POTTER



BILL  
REDMAN



FRANK  
STEWART



KATHRYN  
STEWART

8B



SHIRLEY  
STEPHENS



DARYL  
ZIELSDORF

## Name:

Gary Baker  
 Glenda Bergot  
 Beverly Brown  
 Gary Burtis  
 Donna Callbeck  
 Chris Clarke  
 Shaun Collins  
 Bonnie Couser  
 Jerry Dean  
 Frank Devitte  
 Larry Drabble  
 Faye Esler  
 Edward Green  
 Myrle Hammill  
 Anne Howarth  
 Horst Kittler  
 Betsy Krap  
 Ted Lawson  
 Janette Longster  
 Gloria Lowther  
 Darlene Masterson  
 Diane Maxwell  
 Sandra McWhinney  
 Neil Mitchell  
 Margaret Neish  
 Gordon Newton  
 Herbert Potter  
 Bill Redman  
 Shirley Stephens  
 Frank Stuart  
 Kathrynne Stuart  
 Daryl Zielsdorf  
 Mr. Scheer

## Title:

Beautiful Dreamer  
 Worry Wart  
 Hunter's Paradise  
 Square in the corner  
 True Calgarian  
 Future Einstein  
 Brainless Genius  
 Fellow Gum chewer  
 Brave knight in the apron  
 Science Professor ? ? ?  
 The Gorilla  
 Jealous Lover  
 Regular Riot ? ? ?  
 Mathimetricle Genius ? ? ?  
 Better late than never  
 Smiley  
 Flying Dutchman  
 Track Star  
 She-wolf  
 Silent Girl  
 Dungaree Doll  
 Brown-eyed Daisy  
 Shapely Encyclopedia  
 Mute, gaunt Giant  
 Secret Sigher  
 Edward's Joke-victim  
 Inky Fingers  
 Hidden Brain  
 California, here I come  
 Curly Top  
 Two-sided Love Affair  
 The enterprising Square  
 Posterpedic

## Favourite expression:

Try and make me!  
 Oh Brother!  
 Oh frost it!  
 I didn't do it!  
 That bugs me!  
 Crumbs!  
 Oh, come off it!  
 Geepers!  
 It was him!  
 Aw nuts!  
 I don't know!  
 Holy Cow!  
 Oh, Elvis!  
 I don't care!  
 I forgot it!  
 Gee!  
 Geepers Creepers!  
 That'll be the day!  
 You cad!  
 Who? Me?  
 Isn't that darling!  
 You know!  
 Good gosh!  
 Mute!  
 No, seriously!  
 Oh misery!  
 Where? When? Why?  
 Don't do it!  
 Oh no!  
 Duh!  
 Yah man!  
 Don't ask me!  
 Nooooo!



MURRAY  
BROWN



NANCY  
BOWEN



CLORIA JEAN  
CLEMENTS



MARILYN  
DANCEY



GEORGINA  
DODD



HOWARD  
GOEBEL



GERALD  
HENDERSON



NORMAN  
HENRY



DENNIS  
HOWIE



PATRICIA  
KEMP



JACOB  
KUIKEN



STAN  
LASCHUK



HARRY  
LITKE



DONALD  
McTAVISH



VANNA  
MICKLE



TERRY  
MILLER



IRENE  
OXLEY



RAYMOND  
PARKER



JUDITH  
PESCHKE



SHIRLEY  
PIPPARD



JOYCE  
RICHARDSON



RONALD  
ROWE



NEIL  
SHEA



DIANE  
SOLLWAY



WALTER  
SPANIER



MISS ELLIOTT



KEITH  
THOMPSON



LYNNE  
THORNTON



DONNA  
THURN



GEORGE  
WILKIE

8C



GAYDON  
WILLIS



APRIL  
WYNN

**Element**

Brown, Murray  
Bowen, Nancy  
Clements, Gloria  
Dancey, Marilyn  
Dodd, Georgina  
Goebel, Howard  
Henderson, Gerry  
Henry, Norman  
Howie, Dennis  
Kemp, Pat  
Kuiken, Jacob  
Mickle, Vanna  
Miller, Terri  
Oxly, Irene  
Peschke, Judy  
Parker, Ray  
Pippard, Shirley  
Richardson, Joyce  
Rowe, Ron  
Shea, Neil  
Sollway, Diane  
Spanier, Walter  
Thornton, Lynne  
Thurn, Donna  
Wilkie, George  
Willis, Gaydon  
Wynn, April  
Laschuck, Stan  
Litke, Harry  
McTavish, Don  
Teigen, Judy  
Thompson, Keith  
Elliott, Miss C. J.

**Pet Like**

Girls  
Talking  
Boys  
Reading  
N. Henry  
Rapids  
Drama  
G. Dodd  
Curling  
Dogs  
Closing Lockers  
J. Wright  
Texas  
Kitty Wells  
L. Desreux  
England  
Boys  
Staying Home  
Sing (Try)  
Football  
Lipstick  
S. Teigen-Horses  
Grade 9 Boys  
Talking  
Candy  
E. Presley  
Boys  
Stanley  
Reading  
Elastic Bands  
Gordon Wesley  
Ice Cream Cones  
Math., Drama

**Dislike**

Mr. McKie  
Math  
Wally  
W. Spanier  
Getting Up  
Work  
Homework  
T. N. T.  
Girls  
Moths  
Teacher  
Homework  
Dentist  
Dentist  
Tests  
Girls  
"Green Door"  
Home Ec  
Girls  
Bench Warmer  
Spiders  
K. Kunelius  
Clarebelle  
To Keep Quiet  
Tall Girls  
Gr. 8 Boys  
Being on Time  
Mr. McKie  
Rival Boys  
Homework  
?  
Howdie Doody  
Lipstick

**Ambition**

Millionaire  
Teacher  
Stewardess  
Actress  
Deep Sea Diver  
Radio Tech  
Keep Awake  
Aviation Mechanic  
Civil Engineer  
Int. Decorator  
Electrician  
Doctor  
Rich Widow  
Stenographer  
Nurse  
Scientist  
Travel  
Stenographer  
Baseball Player  
Play in Grey Cup  
Lipstick Tester  
Rancher  
Take Shop  
Mathematician  
To Grow  
Marry a Millionaire  
Hockey Player  
Hockey Champ  
4 Wives  
Engineer  
Stenographer  
Taster—Ice Cream Factory  
To Retire



CAROLYN  
BOND



GEORGE  
BROWN



BONNIE  
CAULFIELD



GARY  
CULL



DEXTER  
DANIELS



BRYANNE  
DAVIDSON



LORI  
DESREUX



BILL  
DIETT



ANNE  
DuPERRIER



ARDELL  
IRVING



MAVIS  
JAMES



KAREN  
KUNELIUS



ROLAND  
LAING



VALETTA  
LAMONT



MARILYN  
LAWSON



CAROLYN  
LYLE



ROBERT  
McBEAN



ROBERT  
McCOMB



DIANNA  
McDERMOTT



HERBERT  
McMULLEN



PAT  
MOGEN



SHARON  
OLSON



BONNIE  
RIX



GAYLE  
SCURR



JOHN  
SHEPHERD



ROBERT  
STROHAN



JERRY  
TREGASKIS



BILL  
WEBB



JOANNE  
WILLIS



SANDRA  
WINTON



JIM  
WRIGHT



CHARLES  
YOUNG

8D



MR. McKIE

SHERRY  
ZACK



# BIOGRAPHIES 8D

Name	Outstanding Feature	Pet Saying	Ambition
Carolyn Bond	Singing	Oh gosh	Nurse
George Brown	Brain	100% or bust	Admiral
Garry Cull	Slouch	But can't I, sir	Petroleum Engineer
Dexter Daniels	His laugh	Carolyn! What's the answer	To be an athlete
Bryanne Davidson	Pat Mogen	Ah Beans	To marry Pat Mogan
Lori Desreux	Smile	Sit down	Doctor
Anne Du Perrier	Voice	Never did	Gum tester in a factory
Bill Diett	Nose	May I borrow your pen	To come out of the fog
Ardell Irving	Curly hair	Thrills	To grow
Mavis James	Freckles	Oh Yeah	To be on honor roll
Karen Kunelius	Posture	Growl	To grow older
Roland Laing	Clothes	Geeeee	To be a rancher
Marilyn Lawson	Dimples	Oh you kids	To be chemical engineer
Carolyn Lyle	Blonde hair	Never talks passes	To marry a millionaire
Bob McBean	Eternal Talking	"Shut up you brats"	
		to his brothers	
Bob McComb	Eyelashes	Oh sir! Oh sir	To get to university
Diane McDermott	Ducktail	Oh dry up!	To be an athlete
Herb McMullen	Beard	What a dumb guy!!!	To get to Hawaii
Pat Mogen	Clothes	Oh Beans	To own a razor
Sharon Olson	Figure	How juvenile!!!	To be much taller
			To marry a handsome millionaire
Bonnie Rix	Hair cut	I don't know!	Secretary
Gail Scurr	Voice	Don't be so ignorant	To marry Wally
John Shepherd	Electronic brain	That's a bug!	Scientist
Bob Strohan	Size	I haven't got it down	To pass
Jerry Tregaskis	Personality	Don't be a clot all your life	Doctor
Bill Webb	Remarks!	S'alright	Drafter
Jeanne Willis	Brains	Shut up Mogen	To make history
Sandra Winton	Temper	Hey, what?	To catch one
Jim Wright	Hair	None	Petroleum engineer
Charles Young	Red hair and freckles	Like Wise I'm sure	To get 3 H's on report card
Sherry Zack	Hair	I am not	Judge
Valetta Lamont	Size	The urge to kill	Prof. tap dancer
Mr. McKie	Smile	You dull people keep it down to a roar	To teach



BETTY  
BISHOP



BARRY  
BROWN



TERRY  
CHARLEBOIS



TERRY  
CUNNINGHAM



GLORIA  
DAW



DARLENE  
DYCK



BRENDA  
FERGUSON



REG.  
HENDRICKSON



FRED  
HOBBS



SHARRON  
IRWIN



NANCY  
LAYZELL



ALLEN  
KLEIN



VALERIA  
LEIGHTON



RAY  
LIPPITT



DICK  
MacKINNON



BETTY  
MAINWARING



WAYNE  
McCUSKEE



SHARON  
McDERMOTT



DUNCAN  
McPHEE

LINDA  
MENZIES



JAKE  
MEYER



RONNIE  
MOORE



BILL  
NICOL



CAROL  
NYSTROM



DIANE  
PARKYN



LINDA  
PRICE



KEN  
REIFSNYDER



BRENDA  
RECSKY



DAVID  
REID



MISS MURRAY



JUDY  
ROLSTON



GORDON  
SHEPPARD



SUSAN  
WEBB



RALPH  
WHITE

7A



TERRY  
WILSON



LAWRENCE  
WOOD

## BIOGRAPHIES CLASS 7A

Betty Bishop — shy and sweet.  
Barry Brown — little Napoleon.  
Terry Charlebois — the shy and timid Romeo.  
Terry Cunningham — the sleeping encyclopedia.  
Gloria Daw — the gal with the giggle.  
Darlene Dyek — 7A's honor student.  
Brenda Ferguson — Judy Rolston's answer book.  
Reggie Hendrickson - all-round sportsman.  
Fred Hobbs — girl-crazy.  
Sharon Irwin - graceful gertie.  
Nancy Layzell - silent stranger.  
Dick MacKinnon - the girls' dreamboat.  
Betty Mainwaring — cooking kid.  
Wayne McCuskee — Mr. Fixit.  
Sharon McDermott — the double-jointed girl.  
Linda Menzies — grade seven's sports' girl.  
Jake Meyer — the flying Dutchman.  
Ronnie Moore — the Scotchman's silent sidekick.  
Bill Nicol — the willing worker.  
Carol Nystrom — speed ball.  
Diane Parkyn — the man trap.  
Linda Price — Sewer Sue.  
Ken Reifsnyder — the guy with the kicks.  
Brenda Reesky — calm and cool.  
David Reid — Dagwood jr.  
Judy Rolston — her main interest is boys.  
Gordon Sheppard — Donald Duck Jr.  
Susan Webb — eager beaver for work.  
Ralph White — flying farmer.  
Terry Wilson — hot rod.  
Larry Wood — Melvin Pretzel.  
Valerie Leighton — the girl with the glare.  
Ray Lippit — Cranbrook's gift to Branton.  
Allen Klein — Buggys  
Duncan McPhee — marine biologist.



RONNIE  
AIELLE



GORDON  
ANDERSON



PAULA  
BROCK



CAROLE  
CASEY



WAYNE  
COULTER



DONALD  
DICKIESON



LYNNE  
ERICKSSON



JOAN  
FRASER



MARIE  
GAEDE



JIM  
HARRIS



RICKY  
HISCOX



BARRY  
KEATS



JOHN  
KERR



JOHN  
KING



JANET  
KORMAN



MARILYN  
LAWRENCE



RICKY  
LONGSTER



BILL  
MANSELL



RAY  
MARTIN



JOHN  
McGREGOR



JEAN  
PATTERSON



WAYNE  
PINKERTON



PAUL  
RAUGUST



DICK  
REID



MISS ANDERSON



BILL  
ROBINSON



BARRY  
ROGERS



PAULINE  
SLATER



JOHN  
TEMPLETON



SANDRA  
VERIGIN



SANDRA  
WUSYK

7B

## BIOGRAPHIES 7-B

MISS ANDERSON is always bowling, I wonder if she does any fouling?

RONNIE AIELLO is the charm boy of Grade 7-B, He's got a fine personality.

GORDON ANDERSON is a very nice guy, Although he is a little shy.

PAULA BROCK is always cooking and for boys is always looking.

CAROLE CASEY is a real cute kid. Anyone ready to make a bid?

WAYNE COULTER is the boy with the little red curls. He is shy with all the girls.

LYNNE ERIKSSON is a cute little girl, Who wears her hair in a cute little curl.

JOAN FRASER likes to spell, and she does it very well.

MARIE GAEDE doesn't like rats, but, boy, she's good at acrobats.

JIM HARRIS was born in Brandon, now he goes to Branton.

RICKY HISCOX likes all sports, especially the ones in mixed badminton courts.

BARRY KEATS likes fishing, and does a lot of wishing.

JOHN KERR likes going to school, but better still he likes the swimming pool.

In the operetta is JOHN KING, because he can sing.

JANET KORMAN is a real pal, and to boys a real (pal) gal.

MARILYNNE LAWRENCE is very nice, and she sometimes puts herself on ice.

RICKY LONGSTER - the tall young fellow you see in 7-B, is the fabulous basketball player for the junior all-star team.

BILL MANSEL is the guy with glasses, and with gals, has had some flashes.

RAY MARTIN has an average with weight, that isn't very light.

JOHN MCGREGOR is very smart, and he likes art.

JEAN PATTERSON likes to play basketball even though she isn't very tall.

WAYNE PINKERTON - I know a boy whose nickname is Pink, who always has an extra wink.

PAUL RAUGEST - The boy who leads the wrestling club is Paul who has never had a fall.

DICK REID loves Carole, and isn't bigger than a sparrow.

BILLY ROBINSON likes the store, he likes the books about the war.

BARRY ROGERS likes a girl named "Sandra", and he likes a horse called "Tandra."

PAULINE SLATER likes to read a book, in Home Ec. she likes to cook.

JACK TEMPLETON is a regular fellow and he likes to eat marshmallows.

SANDRA VERIGAN likes to jive, and with boys shes' really live.

SANDRA WUSYK - A cute kid her name is Sandy, but she gets sick on chocolate candy.

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# The Official Opening of Branton Junior High School

Chairman Dudley Ward announced the singing of 'Oh Canada'. Following this a pantomime, directed by Miss Elliott and presented by several students, effectively portrayed the main activities, both curricular and extra-curricular, carried on at our school.

The platform party were then introduced. They included:

Mr. E. M. Borgal, *Principal*  
Mr. R. Warren, *Superintendent of School*  
Mr. H. E. Panabaker, *Assistant Superintendent of Junior High Schools*  
Mr. L. W. Bessell, *Secretary-Treasurer of the School Board*  
Mr. Lou Goodwin, *Chairman of the School Board*  
Mrs. E. Leew, *School Board Member*  
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Branton.

The two honoured guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Branton. Mr. Branton has held the important office of Building Superintendent since 1911, but retired this year.

Following the introduction, Fran Van Sant and Vicky Wade beautifully sang two duets accompanied on the piano by Mr. R. Darrah.

In Mr. Goodwin's speech, he compared schools of yesteryear with those of today. He then pointed out why Mr. Branton had the great honour of having this beautiful school named after him. He mentioned two of Mr. Branton's main characteristics—his devotion to duty and his unfailing good humour and wit.

In his reply Mr. Branton stated that students of today should make the best of their educational opportunities.

A brief description of the school was given by Mr. Panabaker. The school was then declared open for public inspection. Following this tour of inspection, which proved a revelation to everybody concerned, coffee and doughnuts were served in the school's very attractive lunchroom.

Thus ended a most memorable event at Branton Junior High School.

FLORIN KORMAN (8A)

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## Report on Social Activities

Branton's first shag was sponsored by the Students' Council on November 13, for all the students of the school. To everyone's delight classes were dismissed 15 minutes early, and everyone congregated in the auditorium to buy pop and candy. Dancing got under way about 3.45 with Grade Nine social convener, Delano Lee, acting as M.C.

Almost everyone participated in the variety of dances, including waltzes, the ever-popular jive, and a few round dances; Bingo, Broom and Squat Dances were liked very much. Jackie Hamilton and Doug Blair were the lucky ones to win prizes.

The proceeds of the admission and selling of pop went to the treasury of the Students' Council. The Hi-Y Boys received the proceeds of their very popular and successful candy sale.

Our second shag was sponsored by the Photography Club on Tuesday, December 10, from 3.30 till 5 p.m.

A great many students took part in the 'Spot Dances', 'Bingo Waltzes', 'Squat Dances' and several Jives. The happy winners of these were: Tiny Tomlinson-Ruth Bennett, Ronnie Aiello-Paula Brock, Ronnie Aiello-Lynne Erickson, Jack Connors-Nola Verigin.

We all received an added treat when four of our teachers demonstrated their dancing skills: Mr. McKie, Miss Murray, Mrs. Gavinchuck, and Mr. Borgal.

We wound up with the 'Home Waltz' shortly before five o'clock. Everyone had a most enjoyable time.

Our first school dance was held on February 8, with Grades Eight and Nine attending. The auditorium was gaily decorated with hearts and cupids. Social convener, Delano Lee, got things under way shortly after 7.30.

There were many novelty dances and contests, with an added treat given by our "Grand Ole Opry" Group who had performed for us in the morning. At the end of the dance pop and spud-nuts were served in the lunch room.

The Grade Sevens also held a sock-shag in the Lower Gymn shortly after Christmas. Sandra Wusyk was a very good M.C. Mr. McKie, Miss Murray and Miss Anderson showed some nice dancing.

SANDRA HOWARD

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# REPORT ON THE OPERETTA

On March 21 and 22 of this year, the romantic musical comedy, "The Gypsy Rover", was ably presented at Branton Junior High School at 8.00 p.m. under the direction of Mr. Robert Darrah, and Miss C. J. Elliott. The accompanist was Patricia Colvin, grade 9 C.

Rob (afterwards Sir Gilbert Howe) .....	<i>Mark Hornby</i>
Lady Constance (daughter of Sir George) .....	<i>Vicky Wade</i>
Meg (Rob's foster mother) .....	<i>Carolyn Bond</i>
Marto (Meg's husband) .....	<i>Tom Tait</i>
Zara (belle of the Gypsy camp) .....	<i>Carol Harris</i>
Sinfo (gypsy boy in love with Zara) .....	<i>Roland Laing</i>
Nina (Sir George's second daughter) .....	<i>Karen Jackson</i>
Capt. Jerome (Capt. in English Army) .....	<i>Robert Lord</i>
Lord Craven (an English fop) .....	<i>Dclano Lee</i>
Sir Toby Lyon (a social butterfly) .....	<i>Don Blair</i>
McCorkle (a London song publisher) .....	<i>Darrel Williamson</i>
Lackey .....	<i>Robert Maxwell</i>
Chorus .....	<i>about 120 voices</i>
Children in Fairyland Chorus .....	<i>B. Bishop, D. Parkyn, L. Ericksson, B. Brown, R. MacKinnon and L. Wood</i>
Fairy Dancer .....	<i>Linda Drew</i>

Briefly, the story is about the love affair of Rob (who is an English nobleman stolen when small and raised as a gypsy) and Constance, the daughter of Sir George, an English gentleman. When Rob came into his estates, he married his love and they lived happily ever after. There are also love affairs between Nina and Capt. Jerome, Zara and Sinfo and comedy scenes between Marto and Sinfo.

There were various committees which assisted with the operetta besides the actual players. The props and lighting were under the supervision of Mr. Marson with several of the shop boys assisting. Mr. McKie was in charge of the scenery and was assisted by some of his art students. Miss Anderson organized the make-up while Mrs. McPherson was responsible for the costumes. Mr. Steele and Miss Murray took over the ticket sale (which sold 50c rush and 75c reserved) and publicity. The programmes were printed free by the Hudson's Bay Company. The operetta played to a full house on both nights. Net proceeds were very encouraging and will be used to supply school equipment not normally supplied by the School Board.

Because over half of the students in the school were involved in one way or another in its production, the operetta was considered a very worthwhile school project.

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## GIRLS' SPORTS

The volleyball playday was held at Queen Elizabeth School in the fall of 1956. Grade 9C team and Grade 8A and 8B team had a good time playing against teams from Colonel Walker, Balmoral and Queen Elizabeth. No record of wins or losses was kept.

The junior All Star team made the semi-finals but lost a close game against Rideau Park at Western Canada High School 21 - 19.

Geraldine Sheppard  
Carol Harris  
Bonnie Perell  
Sandra Howard  
Carolyn Baldwin  
Ann DuPerrier  
Marilyn Lawson  
Carolyn Dunford  
Janet Korman  
Betsy Krap  
Sandra McWhinney  
Mavis James  
Linda Hutton

The senior girls All Star team won the A division city championship when they defeated Viscount Bennett in the finals at Western Canada High School.

Florin Kormans' 8A team won the junior Houseleague championship and Valerie Brock's 9A team won the senior championship. They entered the playday at Queen Elizabeth but no record of wins or losses was kept.

The junior girls All Star team was defeated by Colonel Walker in the semi-finals at Crescent Heights.

Sandra Howard  
Linda Hutton  
Vanna Nickel  
Bonnie Perell  
Mickey McMechan  
Gloria Jean Clements  
Doreen Manders  
Nola Verigin  
Joan McLean  
Betsy Krap  
Karen Jackson  
Sylvia Leighton  
Irene Oxley  
Shirley Pippard

The senior girls won the A Division Basketball championship when they defeated Colonel Walker 19 - 16 at Queen Elizabeth School.

Doubles    Grade 7—Betty Mainwaring and Linda Menzies  
              Grade 8—Ann DuPerrier and Mavis James  
              Grade 9—Vicky Wade and Meredith Smith

Singles     Grade 7—Linda Menzies  
              Grade 8—Mavis James  
              Grade 9—Fran Van Sant

## SENIOR VOLLEYBALL TEAM

### Winner of the City Championship 1957

Mr. Mayell, Physical Education Supervisor, presenting the trophy to Val Brock.



Left to right standing:

Val. Brock, Lynne Thornton, Vicky Wade, Gaydon Willis, Carol Baker, Shirley Walker.

Left to right sitting:

Meredith Smith, Marianna Miller, Donna Paterson, Barbara Broocker, Fran Van Sant, Miss A. Murray (coach).

## BASKETBALL CITY CHAMPIONS



Left to right: back row —

Fran Van Sant, Shirley Walker, Carolyn Dunford, Shonnie Guy, Miss Murray (coach).

Left to right: middle row —

Vickie Wade, Marjorie Hohenacker, Donna Paterson.

Left to right: front row —

Carolyn Baldwin, Val Brock, Linda Drew.

## BOYS' SPORTS

Boys' sports have fallen into two categories during the past year. Most of the boys have participated in a House League sports program while some have qualified to participate in Inter-School sports.

Inter-School sports opened the year's activities with both a Junior and Senior team entered in the league. In the double knock-out competition the Senior boys lost their first games to Queen Elizabeth and Colonel Macleod and were eliminated from further competition. After this elimination they went ahead to play exhibition games with Balmoral and King George teams.

The Junior Boys, coached by Mr. Scheer, fared a little better as they went to the semi-finals before being eliminated by Queen Elizabeth. All of the games played in both sections were close scoring affairs and the boys can be proud of their efforts.

With the advance of the fall season the picture changed to a House League program for Touch Rugby. The air over the adjacent park area was filled for a month with passes, kicks and yells of excitement as three teams, Ron Aiello's Grade 7's, Lori Desreux's 8 D's and Tiny Tomlinson's 9 D crew churned and scrapped their way to victory.

During the period from November to early April activity in the sports program was confined to the gyms. Badminton was the one sport that flourished throughout this entire period. Three tournaments were played, — a boys' and girls' doubles tournament, singles tournament and to finish off a big mixed doubles tournament. People from all of the grades participated and had a great time playing and knocking birds down from the rafters. The victors of the Grade 7 mixed tournament were Betty Mainwaring and Ricky Hiscox with Linda Menzies and Ron Aiello, Paula Brock and Ken Riefsnyder tied for second place.

The Grade 8 and 9 Mixed Tournament produced many close and exciting games with the seven top couples participating in an Inter-School Badminton tournament at the Glencoe Club. The stalwarts representing our school were Val Brock and Tom Tait, Marion Cook and Don Blair, Vicky Wade and Rich Lebsack, Mavis James and Ron Rowe, Nola Verigin and Ron Clowes, Judy Peschke and Ted Lawson and Jackie Hamilton and Tom Voykin.

Volleyball was another winter sport and a boys' House League flourished during November and December with all grades participating. Games were arranged with Queen Elizabeth with Grade 8 and Grade 9 teams participating. We are glad to report that the boys won the complete set from Queen Elizabeth.

During the early spring a Mixed Volleyball House League was played which involved most of the people in the school. Ron Aiello's 7B team won their section while Dexter Daniel's 8D group took the laurels in that grade. In the Grade 9 tournament Carol Harris's team is leading in the Volleyball at the present time.

Basketball, of the Inter-School variety, was one of the sports highlights of the year. Both the Senior and Junior All-Star teams were picked from members of the House League teams. The Junior Boys' team, coached by Mr. Marson, managed to win one game during their schedule while the Senior Boys coached by Mr. Steele, had a fairly good year winning three games and losing three.

Preparations for track are under way at the time of writing and everyone is hoping for the best. Also in prospect, after Track is completed, is baseball with both House League and Inter-School competition planned.

JIM MAURO

# THE BOOSTER CLUB

Last October the Booster Club, consisting of two representatives from each room, was formed under the direction of Miss Murray and Mr. Steele. From the representatives an executive was chosen consisting of:

Donna Paterson, President

Paula Brock, Vice President

Lori Desreux, Secretary Treasurer.

In the activities of the club this past year, were included a Dance Club, operation of a Lost and Found and organization of House League activities. Money raised by the Booster Club through its operations was used to help to pay for a set of twenty-four boys' Basketball uniforms.

The sale of school crests has been handled by the Booster Club and also they have procured small crests to award to some House League teams and crests for the outstanding athletes in the school.

We were fortunate in receiving a donation of figures for three sports trophies from Strohan's Jewellery. These will be used for House League awards in the school. Thanks are also extended to Mr. Marson for the making of the bases for these trophies.

We wish to thank all of you for your support in giving Branton's first Booster Club a successful year.

DONNA PATERSON

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## PRESS CLUB

Nine C under the direction of Mrs. Gavinchuck put out a very successful school paper this year. Papers were issued every second month and nearly all rooms had one hundred percent subscription. Our school exchanged papers with other Junior High Schools throughout the city. This gave us new ideas as well as an opportunity to see what other schools were doing.

Although there was a job for everyone in the room, those who were at head of the different departments were:

Carol Baker—Editor

Delano Lee—Joke Page

Carol Sutherland and

Meredith Smith—Gossip Page

Shonnie Guy—Literary

Ron Clowes,

Ted Hodges and

Gary Willis—Cover

Tom Tait and

Carol Harris—Sports

Don Blair—Illustrations

These people with the help of various others from different rooms, assigned to write articles, did an excellent job.

Many thanks to the secretary and the staff for their kind and willing co-operation.

CAROL BAKER

### "Hand Ball" Takes Branton By Storm!

Handball, until now has been played chiefly by members of the Y.M.C.A.'s, gone over in a big way in Branton Junior High School. This game was made possible by the perfect set-up the lower gymnasium provides. There are two courts of ample size. The concrete walls provide a hard smooth playing surface and the hardwood floor is resilient enough to be comfortable.

Handball, until now has been layed chiefly by members of the Y.M.C.A.'s, firemen and policemen of the province. Judging by the enthusiasm of the Branton students for the game it would be a success in any of the schools.

Handball is a wonderful conditioning game. It requires a fast eye and develops quick reactions. Its big advantage over most sports is that it develops both sides of the body equally well. A good player must learn to use his left arm as well as his right.

Handball has been played enthusiastically at Branton all year, chiefly at noon and after school. Although it is basically a boys game we had about 8 girls who took part at noons and developed a first class swing adding some style to it as well.

Sixty-four boys, mainly from Grades VIII and IX took part in the final tournament.

The winners of the doubles trophy donated by Mr. Borgal were: Bob Wilson and Bryan Huggard.

They were closely followed in skill and strategy by:

Tom Faulkner and Delbert Huggard

Bob Pike and Russ Turner

Dave Peers and Tom Voykin

Ross Rowe and Lorie Desreux

Richard Lebsack and Bob Inverarity



Boys in Action



Champions - Bob Wilson, Bryan Huggard.  
Runners up - Delbert Huggard, Tom Faulkner.



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Standing, left to right:

Joy Brown, Sue Craig, Janette Longster, Janice Brown, Marian Cook, Linda Hutton, Florin Korman, Sharon Irving, Faye Esler, April Wynn.

Sitting, left to right:

Carol Sutherland, Shonnie Guy, Sandra MacKay, Carol Harris, and Marilyn Blow.



Handing over a cheque for \$105 collected by teachers and students for the Hungarian Relief Fund by Val Brock and Jackie Homeniuk.

# HONOR ROLL

\*—No. of times on Honor Roll

9A—Bob Haley \*\*  
 Jackie Hamilton \*\*  
 Marianna Miller  
 Denise Montgomery  
 Fran Van Sant \*\*\*\*

9B—Val Brock \*\*  
 Brian Lisson \*\*\*  
 Jolaine Rose \*\*\*  
 Nola Verigin \*\*

9C—Carol Baker \*\*  
 Ron Clowes \*\*\*\*  
 Pat Colvin \*\*  
 Shonnie Guy  
 Carol Harris \*\*  
 Ted Hodges \*\*\*  
 Robert Lord \*\*  
 Donna Paterson \*\*\*\*  
 Bonnie Perell \*\*\*  
 Shirley Reid  
 Meredith Smith  
 Tom Tait \*\*\*\*  
 Gary Will \*\*\*\*

9D—Bob Pike \*\*  
 Shirley Richard \*\*  
 Dolores Shackleton \*\*

8A—Donna Duchak \*\*\*\*  
 George Forster \*\*  
 Cheri Ann Karn \*\*\*  
 Marilyn Moir  
 Carol Ann Roberts \*\*\*\*

8B—Chris Clarke \*\*\*  
 Sandra McWhinney \*\*

8C—Nancy Bowen \*\*\*  
 Marilyn Dancey \*\*  
 Judy Peschke \*\*\*  
 Joyce Richardson

8D—George Brown \*\*\*\*

7A—Barry Brown  
 Darlene Dyck

7B—Carol Casey \*\*\*\*  
 Bill Mansell \*\*\*  
 Sandra Wusyk

## Perfect Attendance Ending April 30th, 1957

7A—Linda Price  
 Linda Menzies  
 Jacom Meyer

7B—Carole Casey  
 Marie Gaede  
 John Kerr  
 Jean Patterson  
 Sandra Wusyk  
 Ricky Hiscox

8A—Linda Brown  
 Marilyn Daw  
 George Forster  
 Alan Freeman  
 Cheri Ann Karn

Calvin Shaver  
 Jay Tierney

8B—Bonnie Couser  
 Gloria Lowther  
 Gary Burtis

8C—Georgina Dodd  
 Gloria Jean Clements  
 Howard Goebel  
 Gerald Henderson  
 Keith Thompson

9A—Carole Enevoldsen  
 Kenneth Lamb  
 Ronald Moore  
 Leonard Mah

Frances Van Sant  
 Peggy Vannebo  
 Lorne Lamond  
 Russell Turner

9B—Valerie Brock  
 Herb Hall  
 Fred Hilling  
 Brian Lisson

9C—Don Blair  
 Ron Clowes  
 Shirley Reid

9D—Bob Pike  
 Karen Jackson  
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# LITERARY

## The Shoe

The shoe is the basis upon which modern civilization stands. If it were not for the shoe, people would crowd around the equator to keep warm.

The shoe was not invented by any one person. The shoe probably originated with the Babylonians. Their idea was a piece of hide (usually from either a donkey, rhinoceros, or some other local animal) held to their feet by a strap which ran between their toes and joined another strap around their heel. The purpose of this "shoe" was to protect their feet from sharp stones, hot sand and broken glass from coke bottles which passing chariots had thrown along the highway.

Since then, 15,921 shoemakers have contributed to the shoe's improvement. Today the shoe comes in all shapes and sizes. There are big ones, small ones, tall ones, short ones, heel-less ones, toe-less ones, and shoe-less ones.

The uses today also differ from the time of the Babylonians. Today's uses are 1. spanking little boys' bottom when they are bad; 2. housing the old woman who lived in a shoe; 3. throwing at a chorus of cats in the middle of the night, and 4. tying on the back of a "Just Married" car.

P.S.—Some use them for walking.

GEORGE FORSTER, 8A

## My Lessons

They laughed when I sat down at the piano—some fathead had pulled the stool away. After that unfortunate mishap I decided the piano was for the birds, so I started the accordion. The accordion has several modern names, such as the squeeze box, the wrinkle machine, or the standard version, the stomach pincher.

My first lesson got off with a bang, when I couldn't get the straps to fit properly. First, I got it on, but soon discovered the straps were too tight, for when I opened the bellow, then closed them, I half tore the shirt off my back, and almost thought I had dislocated my shoulder. Then, I got it so loose that the accordion was down to my knees. After fifteen minutes of putting on, and taking off, I finally got the accordion to fit quite well. I settled down in my chair, to get on with my lesson, only to find that I had a 48 bass accordion instead of a 32 bass.

Now after several lessons they're actually trying to play with one hand stretched a foot or more out, trying to find which button to play, to watch the music, press half a dozen keys at the same time, and trying to count out loud. Next, after playing half a dozen pages of music you discover repeat bars, and so after all you've been through you have to start over again. They say it's a pleasure to be able to play the accordion. After all I've gone through, all I've accomplished is a sore stomach, sore wrists, sore shoulders, and a pair of crossed eyes.

After all this, if your plan is to take up the accordion for something to do, let me tell you there is no easy way to success. Take it from me!

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## Mistakes

In this fast moving world there are many so-called experts.

But from what I can gather the reason they're where they are is because they know how to cover up their mistakes.

For example if a dentist slips with the drill or makes a mess of a tooth he just pulls it and throws it away, in fact some dentists will pull them all and try to sell you a whole new set.

When a lawyer can't win a case for his client he doesn't need to worry because if he wins, the man is innocent and the lawyer gets a pat on the back because everything likes to see the guilty punished.

The school teachers cover up their mistakes of the year by blaming the student and failing them.

But the doctor has them all beat because of he makes a mistake with the slip of the knife or a wrong diagnosis, he sends his patient to the undertakers, who benefit because of it.

This is the case in all professions.

So a suggestion to all hard working school students, if you are planning to make a name for yourself in the business world just learn how to cover up your mistakes better than the other fellow.

DELANO LEE, 9C

## EXCUSE DICTIONARY

First Used by Junior High School Students, Now Adopted by Teachers.

A—absent	N—nobody wanted to help me
B—brain didn't work	O—omitted it
C—can't find my book	P—page got torn
D—dad couldn't do it	Q—quiet, doing it now
E—energy exhausted	R—ran out of paper
F—friend came over	S—sore arm
G—gone gallavanting	T—TV was good
H—had a headache	U—understood nothing
I—I forgot it	V—very hard to do
J—just too hard	W—went babysitting
K—key to locker is lost	X—'xtra 'xcuse
L—little sister tore my book	Y—you gave us too much
M—must have left it at home	Z—zero.

DONNA CALLBECK







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1. Hard-working class?
2. Mr. Marson looses his halo
3. Who came in dirty boots?
4. Help! Police!
5. Must be a good team
6. Caught underwears
7. Mutt and Jeff
8. Let's score
9. Wait 'till you're taller
10. Shall I give her a D or an H?
11. Look how they stripped us
12. The teacher has a headache and the students are sick
13. Who wouldn't be happy with such a nice partner
14. P.T. teachers making butter?
15. Cutting capers
16. Ouch!
17. Life's wonderful
18. A serious problem
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# GRADUATION

Our Grades Nine held their Graduation on the 7th of June  
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1. O Canada
2. Chairman's Remarks—E. M. Borgal
3. Introduction of Graduands by classes:

Mr. R. W. Darrah	Mrs. K. Gavinchuck
Mr. J. E. Steele	Mr. E. D. Sherling
4. Trio—Carol Roberts, Florin Korman and Susan Craig
5. Valedictory—Donna Paterson
6. Sing Song—led by Mr. R. W. Darrah and accompanied by Pat Colvin.
7. Presentation of Awards—

<i>Academic</i>	- Mr. R. E. Wynne
<i>Citizenship</i>	- Mr. W. A. Branton
<i>Attendance</i>	- Mr. Desreux
<i>Athletic</i>	- Miss A. Murray and Mr. D. G. Marson
8. Piano Solo—(Invitation to the Dance—Weber) — Sandra McWhinney
9. Address by Mr. H. E. Panabaker, Assistant Superintendent
10. God Save the Queen
11. Visit. Display of Year's Work —

Industrial Arts Room, Home Economics Room, Art Room
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12. Line Up and Grand March
13. Waltz of Honour
14. Graduation Ball

## VALEDICTORY

We are very proud and honoured to be the first class to graduate from Branton Junior High School. I am sure we all remember the thrill of the first day; coming to a brand new school with its shiny class rooms and modern equipment. We were indeed very fortunate to have such a lovely building and fine staff of teachers in our important final year of Junior High School.

Usually grade nine is made up of last year's class mates. This year we have come together from different schools, from different teachers. This has given us an opportunity to make new friends and take part in new and varied activities.

Branton has no tradition but in the future we will be her past, so we have been doing our best all year to establish fine precedents. Our main project of the year was of course the Operetta, to which every individual, teacher and student alike contributed many long hours of planning and practising. Aside from the splendid work done by the actual performers much was done behind the scenes

by way of stage properties, make-up, costumes, advertising and ticket sales, to make the whole project a wonderful success. The real success of our Operetta lay in the co-operative spirit that day by day drew us together in one common goal. Sports have also played a big part in our year, with the Branton Senior girls winning the volley-ball and basketball championships. Throughout our class rooms and throughout all the activities there has been an underlying feeling of determination and drive to make this year a memorable one.

All this naturally turns our thoughts to those who have played such an important part in our individual successes. I refer of course to our teachers and parents. We are deeply grateful to them for giving so freely of their time, patience, interest and understanding guidance to our every problem whether it be big or small.

Up until now the choice has not been ours whether to go to school or not. We have received the foundation of our education, something for us to fall back upon in later years. Now it is for us to decide what we will build on this foundation. I am sure with the training we have received in co-operation and citizenship together with the wonderful Branton spirit we will continue to higher goals.

We will have other graduations but this one we will remember as being both a happy and a rather sad event, as we will leave these surroundings which have become so familiar to us. Our places will shortly be filled by others just as eager and determined to succeed. It is our sincere wish that the valuable experiences we have enjoyed will in due time be theirs.

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## The Hard Way:

Slippery ice, very thin,  
Pretty girl, tumbles in.  
Saw a boy on the bank,  
Gave a shriek as she sank.  
Boy on bank heard her shout,  
Jumped right in and pulled her out.  
Now he's her's very nice,  
But first she had to break the ice.

A French teacher, who was trying to get a hard lesson across to the class, said, "If you say a word ten times you will have it for life." As the teacher looked around the room, he heard one of his girl students saying in a low voice, "Tom, Tom, Tom."

A Mother tiptoed into her little boy's room, to keep him from being frightened during an electrical storm. The child opened his eyes and mumbled, "What's Daddy doing with the TV set now?"

Mrs. Gavinchuck: Delano, can you tell me how iron was discovered?

Delano: I heard my father say they smelt it.

The decrepit old car drove up to the toll bridge.

"Fifty cents," said the gateman.

"Sold", replied the driver.

Doctor: Was it while you were on the football team that you got hurt?

Boy: Oh, no, sir. It was while the football team was on me.

Visitor: Is your brother planning to marry?

Little boy: I don't think so—he's studying for a bachelor's degree.

"Company attention," barked the sergeant. "Every man lift up his left leg and hold it straight out in front of him."

A nervous rookie held up his right leg, next to his buddie's left leg.

"O kay," snapped the sergeant. "Who's the wise guy holding up both legs?"

A motorist, filling in an accident report, wrote: "I was backing out of a parking space, and by the time I had backed out far enough to see what was coming, it already had."

In the Egyptian room of the museum, two boys stopped before a mummy in a mummy case bearing a card with the notation: 2453 B.C.

"What do you suppose 2453 B.C. means?" whispered one boy.

"I don't know," replied the other? "Unless it's the license number of the car that hit him."

Mr. Scheer: What is the outstanding contribution that chemistry has made to the world?

Gary: Blondes.

Mr. Smith took his niece to the ballet. The little girl watched the ballerinas dancing on tiptoe a while, then turned to her uncle and asked, "Why don't they get taller girls?"

A teenager sent his girl her first orchid. Enclosed was this note: "With all my love and most of my allowance."

Definition of quadruplets—Four crying out loud.

A fat man and a very thin man collided on the street, to the annoyance of both.

The fat man looked at the thin man and sneered: "From the looks of you, there's been a famine around here."

"From the looks of you," retorted the thin man, "you caused it."

Doctor: How's the boy who swallowed the half dollar?

Nurse: No change yet, Doctor.

"George?" Asked the biology teacher, "where is the elephant found?"

George scratched his head in despair and then brightened. "The elephant," he said, "is such a large animal it's almost never lost."

He: If you owned two ducks and a cow what would you have?

She: I don't know.

He: Quackers and milk.

Confucius might have said: To be able to speak in many languages is valuable, but to be able to be quiet in one is priceless.

Doctor: And what is your age, madam?

Patient: I never tell my age, but as a matter of fact I just reached twenty-eight.

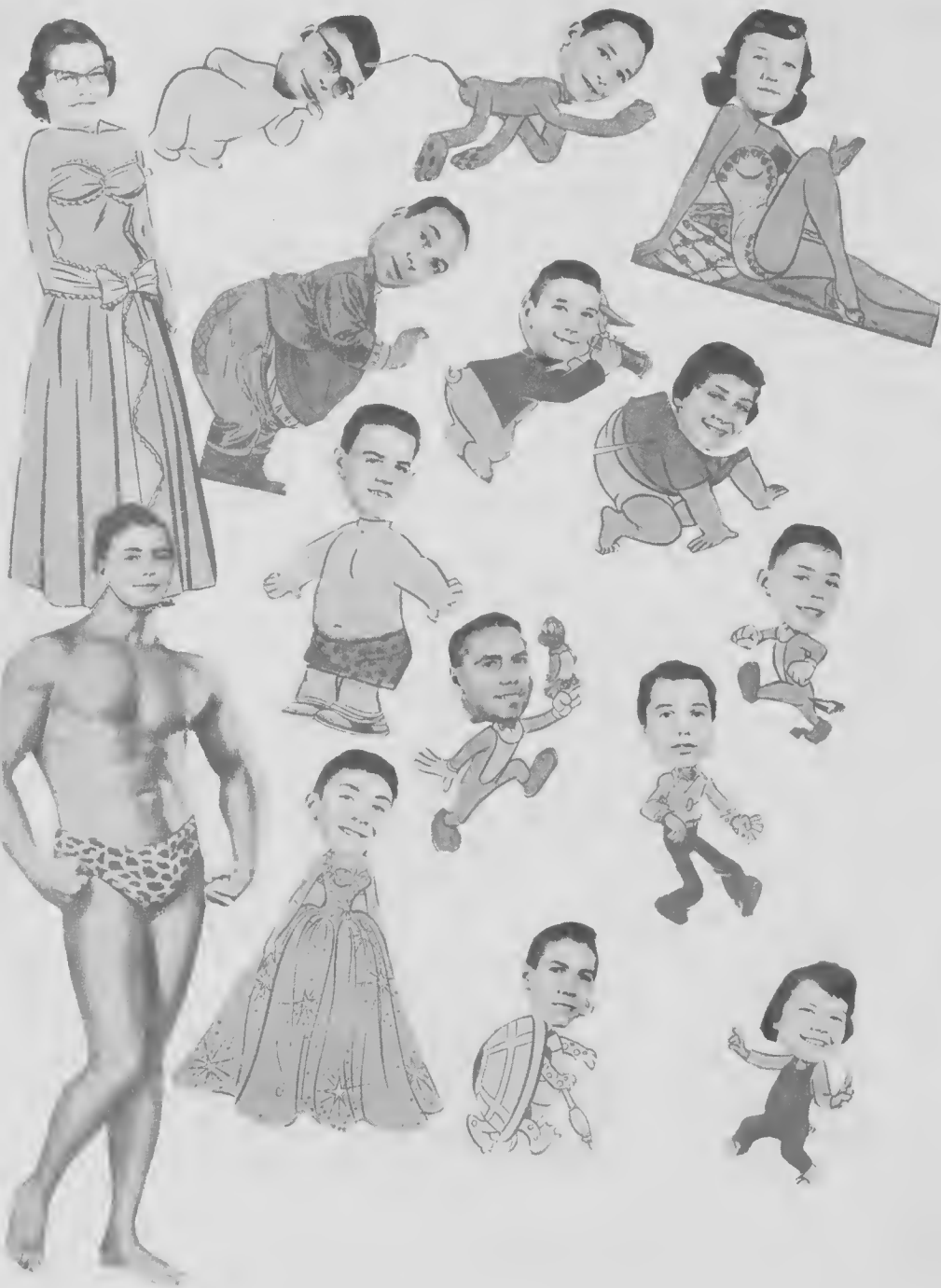
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*When I die bury me deep*

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